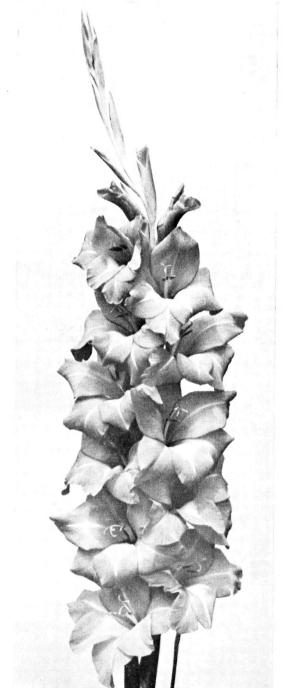
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IN COURT OF WAR TO

"YOUR ASSURANCE OF BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS"

> Season of 1941

ORIGINATOR GROWER

Valentine

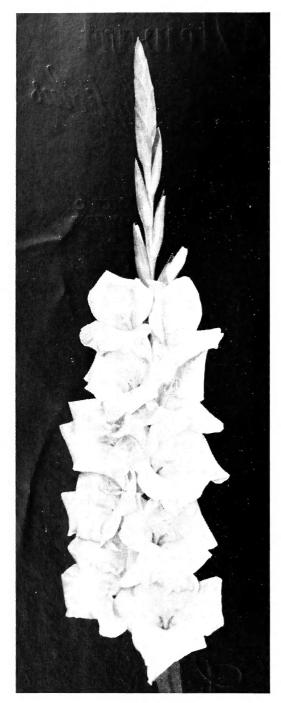
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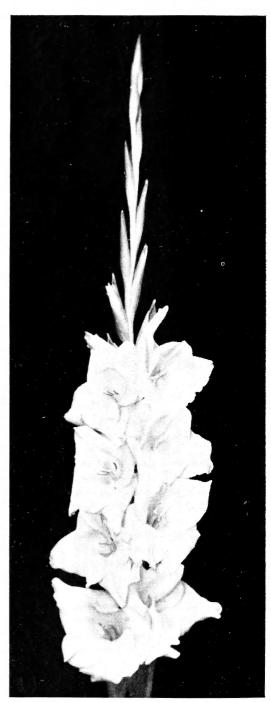
Burg Hill

Ohio

Estrellita

Mrs. K. T. Keller





1941

STEWART INTRODUCTIONS

Estrellita

(Illustration Opposite Page)

This variety has for the past several seasons performed perfectly in our seedling gardens. Two seasons ago we had a severe drought and our seedling book reports on this variety were the very best. Last season was unduly wet and cold in the early part, giving many varieties a handicap shortly after their planting. These conditions, however, had no effect on Estrellita for it bloomed beautifully, again proving that it can withstand the most severe growing conditions.

The flower possesses unusual vigor, the spike being extremely sturdy yet not mammoth in diameter. The flowers are of the large, wide open type, there never being less than ten of them open at one time in double row formation. A most outstanding characteristic of this variety is the fact that the flowers are connected unusually firm to the spike, being perfectly rigid, and in handling them for cut flower purposes one never loses a floret or finds one wilted, or burnt at the edges from excessive heat. It is truly an A-1 variety for either exhibition or commercial purposes. The spikes are tall, averaging over five feet in height, and the flower-heads are of the best, as can be seen from the photograph on the opposite page. For those of you who are interested in parentages, Estrellita is a cross between Star of Bethlehem and W. H. Phipps. It carries its color from these parents as one would expect, being a most pleasing, light, cameo pink, with a slight overlay of a deeper tone. The large, white face on this variety adds to its attractiveness. Bulbs are always vigorous and healthy, and the bulblets germinate readily. You who wish the newest and best in gladiolus, should try Estrellita this year. We know you will be delighted with this outstanding variety.

ESTRELLITA PRICES—Bulbs \$15.00 each (Large size only); Bulblets \$3.00 each.

Sun God

This variety is one that will stand out over all others in your garden. Its color is that particular shade of clear, brilliant scarlet that is most outstanding. To complete the attractiveness of this variety is a very pronounced, rich yellow blotch, and an extended, rich yellow feather. The spikes are always extra tall and straight, carrying from eighteen to twenty-one buds. The flowers easily withstand extreme heat and the variety will hold six or more large blooms open at one time. For those of you who especially like richness and vividness of color, we highly recommend Sun God. A BOUQUET OF SUN GOD IS A PICTURE THAT ONE CAN NEVER FORGET.

SUN GOD PRICES—Bulbs \$15.00 each (Large size only); Bulblets \$3.00 each.

Valentine

(Illustration Front Cover)

The illustration on the front cover will give you an accurate idea of the excellent quality of bloom that may be expected of this variety. Valentine, introduced in 1938, is all the name implies—a real beauty in a bright, clear scarlet, with a large, attractive, white throat. A strong, vigorous grower, Valentine will hold eight or more florets open at one time, and each floret perfectly placed on an always tall, straight spike. Valentine has been a favorite of all visitors to our gladiolus gardens, so BUY VALENTINE THIS YEAR AND SHOW YOUR FRIENDS AND VISITORS TO YOUR GARDENS THE ULTIMATE IN GLODIOLUS.

VALENTINE PRICES—Large Bulbs, 1-\$1.00; 10-\$9.00; (Large size only this year, and no bulblets).

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1940 STEWART INTRODUCTIONS

The public has been waiting a long time for a blue gladiolus which is healthy and which possesses good growing habits. Many originations have been forthcoming but it seems that every blue gladiolus available today is not quite up to par in vigor with gladiolus of the more popular colors, such as red or pink.

Last year we introduced one of our blue seedlings which possesses all these fine qualities. A blue which is as robust as any gladiolus you can name, regardless of color. We chose to name our introduction:

Blue Heaven

Blue Heaven is medium to light blue. It carries a double row of good sized florets, holding eight to ten open at one time, even in extreme heat. The foliage is healthy, the bulbs are round, plump, and clean, and the bulblets germinate readily. Here is a blue gladiolus which can be grown by all flower lovers, not just by the connoisseur. It will respond to average care and culture and will produce just as healthy and beautiful a bloom as any other gladiolus in your garden. Its valuable characteristics warrant no change in price.

BLUE HEAVEN PRICES-Any size Bulb \$10.00 each; Bulblets \$1.00 each.

Jack Frost

A beautiful, shimmering, pure white sport of Phyllis McQuiston. This variety has all the excellent characteristics which one would expect it to have, being a sport of Phyllis McQuiston.

As a cut flower white it is unequalled. It opens six or eight florets at one time on a tall, strong, always erect spike of twenty or more buds. The stock is clean and healthy and the bulblets germinate readily. Blooms open well from shipment, and for these reasons we predict that it will be one of the leading white commercials in a very short time. Last season the local florists again accepted it as one of the finest cut flower whites they had ever used.

JACK FROST PRICES—Any size Bulb \$10.00 each; Bulblets \$1.00 each.

Del Rio

A most meritorious variety which attracted much attention from the visitors to our sedling garden, probably because of the A-1 placement of its double row of large flowers. It opens easily six or more at one time on an always tall, strong spike of twenty or more buds. The flowers are a smooth cream, slightly ruffled, blending to a deeper, rich cream throat. Its growing habits are excellent and the bulblets germinate readily. Our only regret is that the stock is not yet plentiful enough for us to use it as a commercial. Surely when it is better known, and the stock increase is sufficient, it will be one of our leading commercial cut flowers in the cream colored class.

DEL RIO PRICES—Any sixe Bulb \$10.00; Bulblets \$1.00 each.

1939 STEWART INTRODUCTIONS

Mrs. K. T. Keller

(Illustration Page 2)

This variety is much larger than any of the present yellows; and of the wide open type. It is an exquisite shade of perfectly clean, soft yellow, blending to a deeper throat without any markings whatsoever, giving the entire flower a depth and richness enhancing the beauty of this stately variety. There are six or more of these large flowers open at one time on an extra tall, mammoth spike of twenty buds. A most vigorous plant, a real improvement in the yellows.

MRS. K. T. KELLER PRICES—Large Bulbs, 1-\$3.00; 10-\$24.00; Med., 1-\$2.00; 10-\$16.00; Small, 1-\$1.00; 10-\$8.00; Bulblets, 1-\$.30; 5-\$1.00.

Eileen Friedell

The florets are a perfectly clear, soft white, a touch of refinement being given by an equally soft, yet rich, ruby throat. The entire flower has this outstanding smoothness and richness of color, giving unsual distinction to this gorgeous flower. The plant is vigorous and strong. The tall, erect spikes of eighteen or more buds hold easily five florets open at one time.

EILEEN FRIEDELL PRICES—Large Bulbs, 1-\$3.00; 10-\$24.00; Med., 1-\$2.00; 10-\$16.00; Small, 1-\$1.00; 10-\$8.00; Bulblets 1-\$.30; 5-\$1.00.

Mrs. Julia P. Buhl

Something very different and unusual A large flower on a tall, heavy growing plant that is vigorous. Something new in the violet color class. The large flower is rich violet with a blue cast at the outer edges of the petals, and blends gradually to a soft cream throat, which is overlaid with a delicate blue violet feather. It will hold four or more open at one time, and is very well liked wherever shown.

It is our privilege to name this flower for one who loves and has given so liberally for the children of Sharon, Pa. Her philanthropic work will ever be on the tongues of Sharonites. A real lover of flowers, which was so freely expressed on her numerous visits to our gardens.

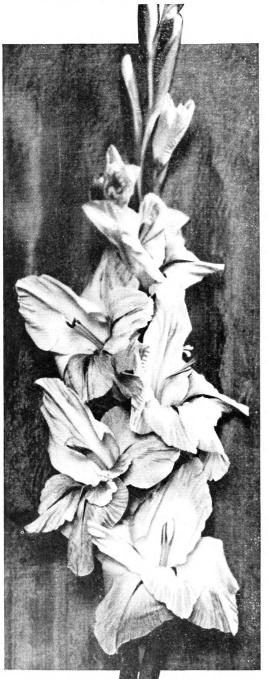
MRS. JULIA P. BUHL PRICES—Large Bulbs, 1-\$3.00; 10-\$24.00; Med., 1-\$2.00; 10-\$16.00; Small 1-\$1.00; 10-\$8.00; Bulblets 1-\$.30; 5-\$1.00.

Acona

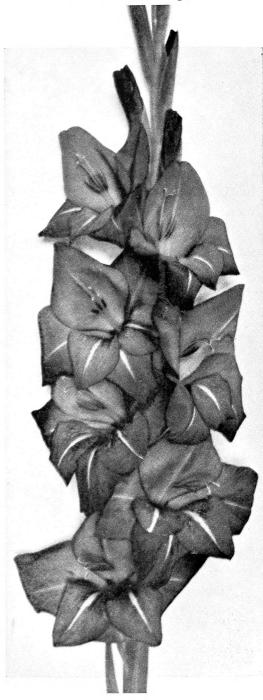
A very VALUABLE EARLY CUT FLOWER variety. This clear cream is slightly ruffled, holding five or more open. The flowers are medium in size and the spike is better than medium length. A good strong grower, always erect and straight; a good producer. Coming as it does, well before the others in its color range, it is always in demand. A REALLY PROFITABLE VARIETY FOR THE COMMERCIAL GROWER, and the best early cream for the home garden.

ACONA PRICES—See Page 14.

Mrs. Walter P. Chrysler



Persian Orange



1938

STEWART INTRODUCTIONS

Mrs. Walter P. Chrysler

(Illustration Opposite Page)

This flower is distinctly different, with its curls and ruffles. We have seen nothing to compare to the individuality this flower possesses. Six or more of these light rose pink flowers are open at one time, blending nicely to a bright throat; a pronounced deep rose line marks the center of each petal.

A beautiful spike with ten open took a sweepstake award in the decorative cars for Mr. H. E. Hulbert at the recent Empire State Gladiolus Society Show,

held at Syracuse, New York.

PRICES—See Page 20.

Persian Orange

(Illustration Opposite Page)

The very finest exhibition, bright, true Persian Orange. A shade that is new. The excellent height and straightness of its spikes, along with the clear, sharp median lines add to the chicness of this variety. This year at two Societies' Shows affiliated with the N.E.G.S. Persian Orange won blue ribbons in the Recent Introduction Class, over many meritorious entries. An excellent producer and vigorous grower, THIS VARIETY SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN EVERYONE'S GARDEN.

PRICES-See Page 21.

Andree Clark

A perfectly clear, light rose pink without markings, occasionally a slight overlay. The spikes are extra tall and upright, carrying six or more of these lovely large flowers open at one time. Certain to become a very popular and lasting variety with its strong habits of growth and ease of production. PRICES—See Page 14.

La Grace

Here we have charm. A medium size flower of exquisite light La France pink, with vivid thumb nail throat marks of bright pink; delicately ruffled; all combining to enhance the sweetness of this refined variety. Always a winner. PRICES—See Page 19.

Lindsay

This variety has proven itself many times as being superior to all in the buff-orange color class. There are eight or more large flowers open at a time on a perfect spike. It is an excellent cut flower, withstanding the warmest August days.

PRICES-See Page 19.

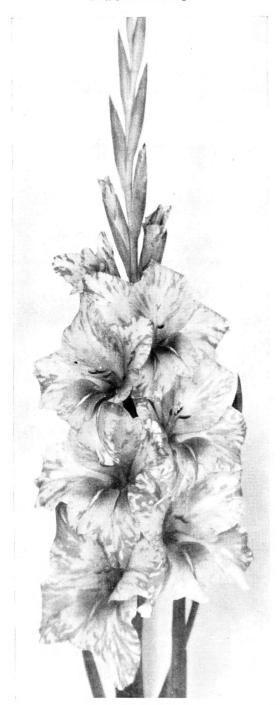
Mary Damaris

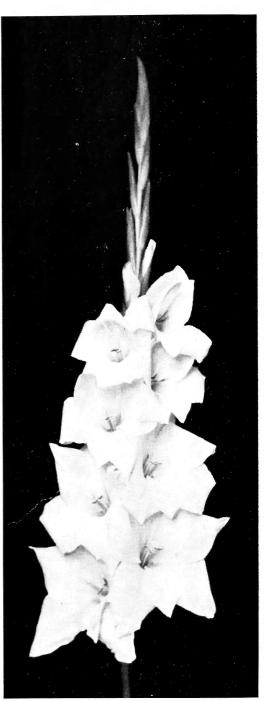
This is by far the most beautiful shade of soft yellow I have ever seen in gladiolus, perfectly clear with white stamens. Its placement is ideal and holds seven or more large flowers open at one time. A vigorous grower and good producer, MARY DAMARIS IS THE MOST SATISFACTORY CUT FLOWER AND EXHIBITION YELLOW TODAY.

PRICES—See Page 20.

Blue Bizarre

Success





EARLIER STEWART INTRODUCTIONS

Blue Bizarre

(Illustration Opposite Page)

A real novelty, and the recipient of many favorable comments wherever shown. It has unusual color, being a light violet blue with varying overlays of deeper violet blues, some of the flowers being comparatively clear. The florets are better than medium in size on a tall, strong spike. It grows vigorously and is an ideal cut flower. TRY BLUE BIZARRE THIS YEAR AND WE GUARANTEE YOU WILL BE BACK FOR MORE.

PRICES—See Page 15.

Success

(Illustration Opposite Page)

This perfectly pure white is positively the most arresting variety we have. A tall, strong, stately, pure white with immense flowers and with seven or more of them open at one time. This year, as in past years, it won more than its share of blue ribbons at the various gladiolus shows throughout the country. It is truly one of the very finest exhibition whites on the market today. And too, its blooms are constantly bringing us PREMIUM PRICES on the Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit, and Pittsburgh markets.

PRICES-See Page 22.

Alfred M. Landon

Coming as it does well before the rush of summer bloom, makes this a much sought after flower by the florist. We are still unable to meet the demand for it. This variety, with "Village Queen," and "Jessica Dragonette" make a trio of TOP PRICE EARLY CUT FLOWERS that are welcomed by the florists, both wholesale and retail.

"Landon" is a smooth, soft scarlet of good size with 8 or more blooms open on an extra tall, erect spike. A vigorous grower and good producer, this variety is always in demand. Be wise and get your start on this one now.

PRICES—See Page 14.

Alice Herriott

The warmth of this beauty with its blending of rich cherry-rose and cast of blue in the upper throat, makes it one of the most beautiful flowers we have. A tall, strong spike with eight of these beauties open at one time makes a truly impressive picture. A flower that you will be proud of in your garden. PRICES—See Page 14.

Precious

A dainty flower of smooth cameo pink, heavily ruffled and lacinated. Perfect for table decoration. It grows about thirty inches tall, blooms perfectly from medium sized bulbs and is quite prolific. JUST RIGHT FOR THAT SMALL VASE.

PRICES-See Page 21.

EARLIER STEWART INTRODUCTIONS

Totem

We have never grown a variety that produces more excellent spikes than this one, and the placement is never faulty. It opens perfectly from shipment, and easily withstands the hottest August days. The flowers are very large and round, with five or more of them open in perfect placement on an extra tall, erect spike. Truly an outstanding variety.

The color is correct as a cut flower, a brilliant salmon scarlet. This variety always brings top prices, being a perfect shipper and opening well expanded flowers. Reports from Florida, Mississippi, and New England, assures us that it is the best, by far, in its color class. Here we offer a tried and true cut flower

variety.

PRICES—See Page 23.

Margaret Stewart

One of our most popular varieties, and a real beauty. A shimmering, rich, beautiful, red-red rose, a shade not to be found in any other variety. It possesses the very best of growing habits, consistently producing tall, straight spikes with five or more good sized flowers open at one time. A GRAND VARIETY FOR YOUR HOME GARDEN. Then, too, the florists use it freely, which indicates its unusual and correct shade of rose-red. PRICES-See Page 20.

Village Queen

This variety is making quite a name for itself. Many growers, as well as several local florists, have chosen it as one of the very best early commercials we have. An excellent cut flower, this variety is truly an asset to everyone's garden. It produces tall, strong spikes of eighteen or more buds carrying easily five or more extra large flowers open at one time.

It has also proven itself earliest in the greenhouse over all other varieties grown for that purpose. Truly a VALUABLE COMMERCIAL worthy of your

trial.

PRICES—See Page 23.

Major Edward Bowes

(Illustration Opposite Page)

This is a massive plant producing tall, heavy spikes that carry the long flower-head perfectly. It is not unusual to have more than twenty buds to the spike, and it easily holds eight or more flowers open at one time.

The flowers are a large, bittersweet pink with occasional overlay of a slightly deeper tone. The small, neat pinard yellow throat adds much to the attractiveness of this outstanding variety. Excellent for exhibition, the "Major" has become one of our most popular varieties.

Last year we were unable to fill all orders on the large size, SO ORDER YOURS EARLY THIS YEAR TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT.

PRICES-See Page 19.

Phyllis McQuiston

(Illustration Opposite Page)

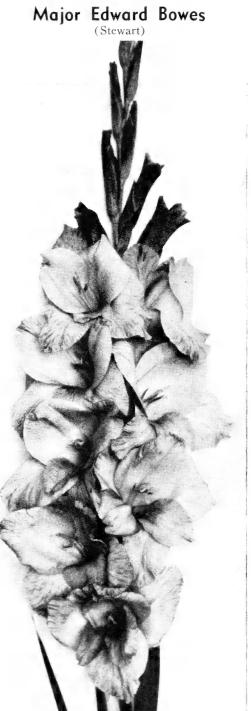
The most gorgeous pure pink that blends perfectly to a soft light throat. Last year it again proved itself THE MOST POPULAR OF ALL PURE PINKS. It grows freely producing tall, strong spikes that are always erect. It carries eighteen or more buds and holds easily five open at one time.

This variety has not arrived at its present enviable position among growers of gladiolus, both amateur and commercial overnight. It has by its own performance proven itself unequalled and for this reason it will be grown for many years to come, and in ever greater quantities.

"Phyllis" was our first introduction. It has been and will be a profitable variety to grow, so JOIN US AND GET YOUR START NOW.

PRICES—See Page 21.





EARLIER STEWART INTRODUCTIONS

Colfax

This is a beautiful shade of velvety rich, deep violet. The flowers are better than medium in size and have exceptionally heavy texture. There are four or more open on a nice strong spike, that is always straight.

There was a run on this variety last year, which proved our prophecy that it would sell just as soon as it was more widely known. As a result, we can offer only large and medium sized bulbs this year, and no bulblets. HERE, AGAIN, WE SUGGEST YOU ORDER EARLY.

PRICES-See Page 16.

Elsie Adele

(Illustration Opposite Page)

A perfectly smooth, clear La France pink, a dignified, refined beauty. The spikes are very tall and rigid, with five or more large flowers open at one time on a spike of sixteen or more buds. ELSIE ADELE IS AN EARLY CUT FLOWER AND VERY VALUABLE FOR THE COMMERCIAL GROWER, for there is no variety that approaches "Elsie" in its color class. And too, all wholesale growers know that the smooth light "pinks" are always used in a majority by the florists. "Elsie" is shipping very well from Florida, also.

PRICES-See Page 17.

Elite

The flowers are a brilliant salmon pink, running to peach red, with a very snappy Neapolitan throat. It produces tall, strong spikes with a double row of flowers, carrying six or more open at one time. This variety is particularly attractive when grouped in a bouquet, or in floral sprays.

PRICES-See Page 17.

Jessica Dragonette

(Illustration Opposite Page)

This flower is an exquisite, clear, rose pink, blending to a lighter throat. The entire flower, which is of better than medium size, has a blue sheen, giving it real beauty. A vigorous growing variety of good height with four or more flowers open. A good producer, and much to be desired as AN EARLY CUT FLOWER.

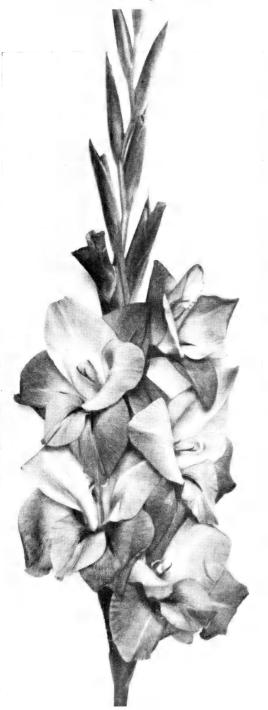
PRICES—See Page 18.

Euclid

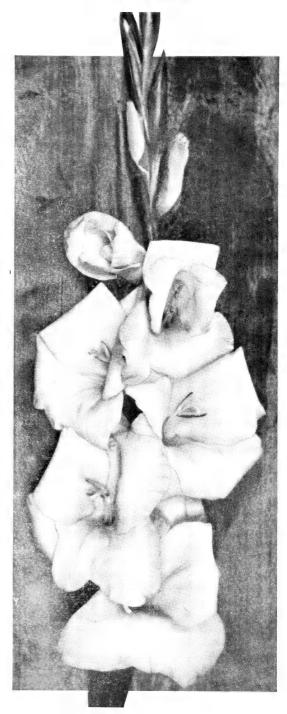
The flowers are a large, wide open white, blushed light pink at edges, with a touch of soft cream in the throat. It holds five or more florets open at one time on a tall, strong spike. This variety has proven very popular, so IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY TRIED THIS ONE, BE SURE TO INCLUDE IT WITH YOUR ORDER THIS YEAR.

PRICES—See Page 17.

Jessica Dragonette



Elsie Adele



STEWART SELECT GLADIOLUS

We thank you for your enthusiastic acceptance of our selections in the past, and assure you the varieties offered in this catalog are again the very finest obtainable from every source. TRY THEM, permit them to GLORIFY YOUR GARDEN THIS YEAR.

Originators names immediately follow (in parenthesis) the name of their variety. Of all names only three are abbreviated, namely: Pfitzer (PF); Kunderd, (K); Corrington, (Cor.).

NADITAWN	Bulbs		Bulblets			
VARIETY	Per	Large	Med.	Small	Per	
Acona (Stewart) See page 5. A clear ruffled cream with five or more open. A prolific grower, always straight. Very early. Especially valuable as a cut flower	10	.50 4.00	.30 2.40	.20 1.60	3 30	.10 1.00
Albatross (PF) A large sparkling pure white. Tall, many open. One of the best	$\frac{1}{10}$.05 .45	207 .30	407 .20	40 500	.10 1.00
Alf. M. Landon (Stewart) See page 9. Brilliant scarlet with tall, erect spikes. Valuable early cut flower. Exhibition	1 10	.15 1.20				
ALICE HERRIOTT (Stewart) See page 9. A beautiful rich cherry-rose. Exhibition spike. Admired by many	1 10	.10 .80	215	210 .40	10 200	.10 1.00
ALLAWA (Errey) Very tall blue with crimson blotch. Exhibition spike	$\frac{1}{10}$.05 .45	207 .30		20 250	.10 1.00
American Commander (New) An improved Commander Koehl. Easy propagator. Fine Commercial	$\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 10 \end{array}$.80 6.40	.40 3.20	.20 1.60	10 100	.40 3.20
Andree Clark (Stewart) See page 7. A light rose-pink with occasionally a slight overlay. Truly a worthwhile exhibition for all glad fanciers	1 10	.50 4.00	.30 2.40		3 30	.10 1.00
Antione (K) Pure chrome yellow. Nicely ruffled. Very early Prim	$\frac{1}{10}$.05 .40	207 .25	*******	40 500	.10 1.00
Arabella (PF) Excellent spike of deep, rich maroon. Large flowers. One of the very best	1 10	.15 1.30	.10 .90		20 225	.10 1.00
Autumn Glory (Errey) Truly a blending of autumn tints in a large flower. Exhibition	$\frac{1}{10}$.15 1.30	.10 .90		20 225	.10 1.00
Avignon (Errey) An unusual silvery pink flower with plum blotch. Striking exhibition.	1 10	.10 .90	215 .70		20 225	.10 1.00
Bagdad (Pamer) Tall, large flowered, smoky old rose blending to lighter throat	$ \begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 10 \\ 1 \\ 10 \\ 1 \\ 10 \\ \end{array} $.05 .40 .08 .60 212 .50	207 .20 .05 .40 206 .25	407 .10 205 .20 306 .15	50 800 .20 250 40 500	.10 1.00 .10 1.00 .10 1.00

Have a grand and beautiful garden this year. Stewart bulbs are your assurance of beautiful flowers.

VADIEWY		В	ılbs		Bulb	lets
		Large		Small	Per	10
Bella Donna (PF) Early, large light blue, with depeer throat. Popular	$\frac{1}{10}$.05 .45	207 .30	********	20 250	$\frac{.10}{1.00}$
Beowulf (Nitchman) Decorative, mauve lavender. Something different and likeable	1 10	.20 1.60	.10 .80	.05 .40	10 125	.10 1.00
Betsy Bob-Up (Canine) A soft yellow sport	1	.05	207	407	40	.10
of Betty Nuthall, A-1 commercial	10	.40	.25	.15	500	1.00
BETTY Co-ED (Briggs) (S.D.) A dainty flower of creamy pink. Very popular variety	1 10	.05 .45	207	********	40 500	.10 1.00
BETTY NUTHALL (Salbach) Large salmon orange pink with yellow throat. Late exhibition.	1 10	.05 .40	207 .20	407 .10	40 600	.10 1.00
BILL SOWDEN (Fallo) Deep, large blood-red flowers, holding six or more open	1 10	.05 .40	207 .20	*******	40 600	.10 1.00
Bingo (Canine) Soft cream buff sport of Picardy, with soft rose blotch. A-1 commercial.	1 10	.40 3.20	.25 2.00	.15 1.20	3 35	.10 1.00
BIT O'HEAVEN (Crow) Very bright, showy	1	212	206	306	40	.10
orange. Exceptionally tall, with many open Black Opal (<i>Errey</i>) The very best deep, dark	10	.50 .25	.25	.15	500 5	1.00
red. An unequalled exhibition variety	10	2.00	1.25		60	1.00
Blue Beauty (PF) One of the very finest medium deep blues. Fine early commercial	$\frac{1}{10}$.10 .90	.05 .45	*******	20 250	.10 1.00
BLUE BIZARRE (Stewart) See page 9. A very attractive novelty. Blue violet, with greatly varying streaks of medium blue-violet overlay. Very popular with visitors	1 10	.10 .80	215 .60	210 .40	10 200	.10 1.00
BLUE DANUBE (PF) Tall, clear light blue. Good propagator and commercial.	1 10	.05 .45	207 .30	407 .15	40 600	.10 1.00
Blue Heaven (Stewart) Prices see page 4.						
Bluet (Mitsch) Medium decorative blue with large white throat. Quite prolific	$\frac{1}{10}$.50 4.00	.35 2.80	.20 1.60	2 30	.10 1.00
Break O'Day The very earliest flower to bloom. A clear salmon pink blending to lighter throat.	1 10	.05 .40	207 .25		40 600	.10 1.00
Brigand (Brown) (S.D.) The deepest of the reds in this small type. Very nice	$\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 10 \end{array}$.10 .80	.05 .45	205 .30	20 250	.10 1.00
CADENCE (S.D.) Delicate salmon pink with	1 10	.10 .80	.05 .60	205 . 3 0	20 250	.10 1.00
slight rose flaking. Dainty and attractive California (Salbach) Mammoth, deep geranium pink with very slight deeper blotch	1	1.00	.50			
CANBERRA (Errey) Extra tall, strong exhibition yellow. Excellent commercial variety.	$\frac{1}{10}$.05 .45	207 .30	407 .15	30 350	.10 1.00
CAPEHEART (Winsor) Early light salmon rose with slight rose feather. Good commercial	1 10	.80 7.20	.50 4.50	.25 2.25	1 12	.10 1.00
CHARLES DICKENS (PF) Purple violet with	1	212	*********			
deeper throat. Tall strong growing plant. Chief Multnomah (Ellis) The finest smoky	10	.55 .15	.10	.05	10	.10
we have seen yet, probably because of its striking maroon blotch. Tall, strong and prolific. Can not say too much for this	10	1.35	.90	.45	125	1.00

For your convenience an order sheet with envelope will be found enclosed.

V A DIETV		В	ulbs		Bul	blets
VARIETY	Per	Large	Med.	Small	Per	
CHRISTABEL (Mitsch) Large La France pink,	1	.05	207		20	.10
cream throat, tall strong grower. Nice	10	.45 .05	.30 267	307	250 30	1.00
ender and cream. Always tall, straight	10	.03 .45	.30	.20	400	1.00
Colfax (Stewart) See page 12. A beautiful shade of deep violet. Popular	1 10	.20 1.60	.15 1.20			
Colonial, Maid (Young) Tall, strong growing pale lavender, medium flowers, straight spike.	10	.40 3.20	********	*******	3 40	.10 1.00
Colossus (Mitsch) Rich pink on cream back- ground, red feather—enormous floret, tall and strong. Valuable early commercial	10	.10 .80	.07 .50	207 .25	30 400	.10 1.00
COMMANDER KOEHI, (PF) Very large clear scarlet red. Tall, vigorous plant. Popular.	10	212 .50				*******
Coral-Glow (E lis) Very large, tall, coral	1	.15	.10	.05	5	.10
red. A-1 commercial or exhibition	10	1.35	.90	.45	60	1.00
Creve Couer (Young) Rich burnt orange with deeper blotch. A popular novelty	1 10	.05 .45	207		20 250	1.00
Crinkle Shell (S.D.) Delicately ruffled shell	1	.10	.05	205	20	.10
pink with graceful, willowy spike	10	.90	.45	.25	250	1.00
Curlette (Brown) (S.D.) A very smoothly ruffled, small, pure deep yellow. Nice	1 10	.10 .90	215	********	20 250	.10 1.00
Debonair (Palmer) La France pink to shrimp pink with creamy throat. Tall, strong	1 10	.05 .40	207 .25	407 .15	40 600	.10
DEL RIO (Stewart) Prices see page 4	1	2=	2-	1 "	2	10
Dictator (Jaenichen) A new soft lovender with rose throat. Very attractive	$\frac{1}{10}$.35 2.80	.25 2.00	.15 1.20	2 12	.10 1.00
DORTHEA KAHN (Troyer) A New soft velvet red, decorative. Excellent for either exhibition or commercial	1 10	.50 4.00		********		
Do-X (PF) Very tall, large flowered amber yellow. Mammoth growth and quite prolific.	10	.10 .90		*******	20 250	.10 1.00
DRACOCEPHALUS (African Glad. species) Yellowish green. Small and unique	1 10	.10 .90	********	********	20 250	.10 1.00
Dragonette (Kaylor) Unusual with its curls.	1	.15	.10	215	20	.10
Pure pink blending to clear yellow. Unique Dr. Durr (PF) Early, large flowered creamy	10 1	1.35 .05	.90 207	.65 407	250 40	1.00
white. Ruffled and many open	10	.40	.25	.15	600	1.00
DR. BENNETT (Diener) Bright scarlet, with	1	.05	207	407	40	.10
many open. Good commercial	10 1	.40 .10	.25 .05	.15 207	600 20	1.00
gray. Good substance. Tall, prolific	10	.80	.40	.25	300	1.00
DUNA (Palmer) Soft pinkish buff to clearer yellow on lower petals. Large flowers	1 10	.05 .40	207 .25	407 .15	40 600	.10 1.00
EARLY MELODY (Arenius) Orchid lavender,	1	.05	207	407	40	10
tall, strong spikes. A-1 commercial	10	.40	.25	.15	600	$\frac{.10}{1.00}$
EARLY PEACH (Pruitt) An early peach red, blending to lighter throat. Tall grower	$\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 10 \end{array}$.05 .45	207 .30	407 .15	30 400	.10 1.00
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VARIETY		В	ılbs		Bull	olets
	Per	Large	Med.	Small	Per	,
Edith Robson (Brown) Soft salmon-rose	1	.10	215	410	20	.10
with deep blotch. Tall, many open	10	.80	.60	.40	250	1.00
Eighth Wonder (K) Deep, smoky old rose. Best large flowered novelty	1 10	.10 .90	********	********	20 250	1.00
EILEEN FRIEDELL (Stewart) Prices see page 5		•,, 0				2,00
ELITE (Stewart) See page 12. Salmon pink to	1	.05	207		40	.10
pcach red with snappy Neapolitan throat. A vigorous grower with many open	10	.40	.25		500	1.00
Ellwood (Heaton) Very large lavender, tall	1	.20	.15	.10	5	.10
and good grower. New and good	10	1.80	1.35	.90	60	1.00
Elsie Adele (Stewart) See page 12. Smooth	1	.05	207	407	40	.10
large flowered, La France pink. Very tall and early. An A-1 commercial. Too much	10	.40	.25	.15	500	1.00
cannot be said for this variety						
EUCLID (Stewart) See page 12. Tall, white,	1	.20	.15	.10	5	.10
blushed light pink, cream throat. Many open. A-1.	10	1.60	1.20	.80	60	1.00
EUIDES (Errey) White, blushed lavender at	1	.20	.15		5	.10
edges. Soft cream throat. Exhibition spike	10	1.80	1.35		60	1.00
Evanne (Errey) Brilliant orange salmon with	1 10	.10 .90	.07 .65		5 60	.10 1.00
yellow throat. Unusually fine	10	.90	.05	*******	00	1.00
FATA MORGANA (PF) Peach pink with suf-	1	.05	207	407	20	.10
fused yellow throat. Many open	10	.45	.30	.15	250	1.00
F. J. McCoy (Diener) Exhibition light rose.	1	.05	207		25	.10
A consistent winner at the shows	10 - 1	\5 .10	.30	********	300 20	1.00
ful spike. Flowers pale yellow. Lacinated.	10	.90	.65		250	1.00
Freckles (C. Fisher) Very tall deep buff,	1	1.00	.75	.50	1	.15
heavily flaked with reddish brown. Novelty.	10	9.00	6.75	4.50	7	1.00
GATE OF HEAVEN (PF) Rich, deep, large flow-	1	.10	.07		20	.10
ered yellow. Good substance. Popular	10	.90	.65		250	1.00
GIANT NYMPH (Coleman) Popular salmon	1	.05	207		40	.10
pink, Many open. Good commercial	10	.40	.25		600	1.00
Golden Chimes (Ellis) Very nice soft yellow. Good spike and beautifully ruf-	10	.10 .90	.07 .65	.05 .45	20 250	.10 1.00
fled. Fine.				***		2.00
GOLDEN GODDESS (Salbach) Exhibition yellow.	1	.10	.08			*******
A good grower and fine shade. Patented. Grand Opera (Sa bach) Gigantic, beautiful	10	.80 1.00	.50	*******		********
soft pink. Another patented variety	10	5.00	2.50	********		********
GRAND SLAM (Sclbach) Tall, large salmon	1	.10	.05		20	.18
orange with exhibition spike, Ruffled	10	.80	.45		250	1.00
Guerdon (Balentine) A splendid new rich, wine, rose slightly ruffled	10	1.00 9.00	.60 5.40	********	1 12	.10 1.00
mate, 1000 organi, 1000				********	1-	1.00
HELEN MAURINE (Kaylor) Exhibition spike	1	.30	.25	.15	6	.10
of ruffled buff, with soft cream throat	10	2.70	2.25	1.35	70	1.00
Helen of Troy (Salbach) Mammoth spike of soft buff with deeper blotch. Patented	$\frac{1}{10}$	1.00 5.00	.50 2.50	********		*******
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AVA DATAMA		Bulbs		Bulblets		
VARIETY Henet (Gray) Beautiful blending of coral pink to soft rose. Flowers large. Sub-	Per 1 10	Large .30 2.40	Med. .20 1.80	Small .10 .90	Per 4 50	.10
stance excellent. A-1 commercial	1 10	.30 2.70	.20 1.80		4 50	.10 1.00
Hercules (Crow) Extra tall, massive, clear buff. Truly a giant. A-1	1 10	.20 1.80	.15 1.35	.10	5 60	1.00
HERITAGE (Ristow) Soft, exhibition pink. A winner at the shows. Quite popular	1 10 1	.10 .90 .50	215 .70 .35	210 .45	20 250 	.10 1.00
HILDRED (Love) Splendid exhibition orchid lavender, with rose blotch	1	.50	.35	.20	3	.10
HINEMOA (Donney) Deep rose with deeper overlay. Sharp cream marks. Novelty	1 10	.10 .90	.07 .65		10 125	.10 1.00
INZA (Brown) (S.D.) Very rich lavender with deeper throat. Clean, dainty, round flower.	$\frac{1}{10}$.05 .45	207 .30	307 .20	20 250	.10 1.00
Iosco (Kinyon) Gigantic variety of ivory buff or near yellow. Exhibition. IRAK (Mitsch) A beautiful, perfectly clear lavender gray sport of Bagdad. A-1	$\begin{array}{c} 1\\10\\1\\1\\10\end{array}$.25 2.00 .10 .80	.15 1.20 215 .50	.10	8 100 20 250	.10 1.00 .10 1.00
IVORY KEYS (Ellis) An excellent frilled cream white, holding eight or more open at one time on a tall, strong spike of eighteen or more buds. Fine exhibition and commercial. Sure to have a future.	1 10	.60 4.80	.40 3.20	.30 2.40	4 50	.10 1.00
Ito (Brown) (S.D.) Bright contrasting deep orange and yellow. Extra fine novelty	1 10	.10 .90			15 200	.10 1.00
JACK FROST (Stewart) Prices see page 4	1 10	.50 4.00	.35 2.80	.25 2.00	6 80	.10 1.00
JEANETTE McDonald (Troyer) A champion- ship seedling, this 1941 introduction of Mr. Troyer's is a lovely light pink with a deep cream throat. A seedling of Pic- ardy and Lotus, it has perfect growing habits. Try this one now	10	1.00 8.00	•		********	*******
JESSICA DRAGONETTE (Stewart) See page 12. A rich rose with blue sheen. An extra fine early commercial.	$\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 10 \end{array}$.05 .40	207 .25	407 .15	40 500	.10 1.00
JE TAIME (Troyer) A lovely clear orchid lavender. A-1 for commercial purposes	10	.50 4.00				
JOERG'S WHITE (Joerg) A light creamy white. Very large flowers. Vigorous. Prolific JOHN BACH (PF) Extra fine, large flowered	10	.10 .80 215	.07 .60 210	207	25 300 20	.10 1.00 .10
brilliant salmon orange. A-1 exhibition June Bride (Sabcch) Mammoth cream buff	10	.70	.45	.30	250	1.00
with deeper blotch. A pale Helen of Troy. Patented.	10	5.00	2.50	********		*******

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V A DIETSV		В	ılbs		Bull	lets
VARIETY	Per	Large	Med.	Small	Per	
KEWPIE (Brown) (S.D.) Very attractive red	1		.10		10	.10
with picotee edge. Unusually dainty	10		.90		125	1.00
KING ARTHUR (Arenius) A rich ruffled lavender. Very best in this color class	1 10	.05 .45	207	307 .20	25 300	.10 1.00
King's Ransom (Almey-McCaw) Early peach	10	215	210	410	15	.10
red blending to salmon apricot. Ruffled	10	.60	.40	.20	200	1.00
KING OF HEARTS (Salbach) Mammoth light coral red with red feather. Spike strong and wirey. Patented.	10 ¹	1.00 5.00	.50 2.50			*******
Kulshan (Kaylor) Extra tall, large flowered	1	.10	215	210	6	.10
violet red. Best in its color class	10	.90	.65	.45	70	1.00
LADY IMOGENE (Austin) (S.D.) The finest	1	.10	.05		10	.10
dainty little white flower we haveLA FIESTA (Salbach) Extra tall, stately spike	10 1	.80 .10	.45 .07	.05	125 6	1.00
of flashy orange and yellow. A-1	10	.90	.65	.45	70	1.00
LA GRACE (Stewart) See page 7. Charmingly	1	.50	.30	.20	3	.10
ruffled, La France pink, ruby blotch	10	4.00	2.40	1.60	30	1.00
LA PALOMA (Dusinberre) Brilliant orange, rich and different. Large flowers. A-1	1 10	.05 .40	207 .25	407 .15	40 500	.10 1.00
LAVENDER DELIGHT (Arenius) A beautiful	1	********	.05	207	40	.10
strong growing, clear lavender. Popular.	10		.40	.25	600	1.00
LAVENDER QUEEN (Arenius) Tall, vigorous, large flowered lavender, always straight. Excellent for commercial or exhibition.	1 10	.10 .80	215 .60	210 .40	25 300	1.00
LAVENDER RUFFLES (Wilson) Light orchid lavender, delicately ruffled. Quite prolific, an A-1 commercial	1 10	.30 2.70	.20 1.80	.10 .90	5 100	.10 1.00
LEAH ANN (Gray) A beautiful, lustrous	1	.30	.20		4	.10
purple—holding open six or more flowers.	10	2.70	1.80		50	1.00
LESCHI (Kaylor) One of the very nicest deep	10	.10	215		6	.10
purple reds. Vigorous and prolific Libelle (PF) A medium layender blue that	10 1	.90 .05	.65 207		70 20	1.00
is especially good in its color class	10	.45	.30		300	1.00
LINDSAY (Stewart-Patterson) See page 7.	1	.30	.20	.10	5	.10
The very best exhibition orange and an unequalled commercial.	10	2.40	1.60	.80	60	1.00
LITTLE EGYPT (Brown) (S.D.) Small flowered	1	.10	215		10	.10
velvety dark red with deep, rich blotch Lotus (Prestgard) Large flowered delicate	10	.90 .10	.65 215		120 10	1.00
pink, blending to cream throat. Very fine.	10	.90	.65		120	1.00
LUCIFER (Errey) Brilliant exhibition scarlet,	1	.05	207	407	3 0	.10
maroon blotch. Vigorous and prolific	10	.45	.30	.15	400	1.00
MAGNA BLANCA (Salbach) Tall, wirey spike	1	.10	215	210	30	.10
of mammoth ivory-white flowers. Popular	10	.80	.60	.40	400	1.00
Maid of Orleans (PF) Very fine commercial. Creamy white with deeper cream throat.	$\frac{1}{10}$.05 .40	207	307 .20	40 600	.10 1.00
Major Edw. Bowes (Stewart) See page 10.	1	.10	215	210	20	.10
Tall, massive, bittersweet pink. A-1	10	.80	.60	.40	250	1.00

Have a grand and beautiful garden this year. Stewart bulbs are your assurance of beautiful flowers.

VARIETY		Bulbs			Bulblets		
MAMMOTH WHITE (PF) One of the very		Large	Med 207	. Small	Per	10	
largest pure whites. Very popular	10	.05	.30	********	20 300	.10 1.00	
Marco Polo (Troyer) Exhibition red, cap-	1	.10	2.15	********	*******	*******	
able of winning blue ribbons for you at your shows. Many open, 10-12 at one	10	.90	.70	********		*******	
time. Blotched.							
Margaret Beaton (Twomey) Ivory white with scarlet b'otch. Very beautiful	$\frac{1}{10}$.40 3.20	.30 2.40	.20 1.60	4 50	.10 1.00	
Margaret Fulton (Venango) Early coral pink ,to lighter throat. Fine commercial.	$\frac{1}{10}$.05 .40	207 .25	407 .15	40 600	.10 1.00	
Margaret Stewart (Stewart) See page 10. A beautiful, refined red-red rose	10	.10	215 .60	210 .40	10 200	.10 1.00	
Marmora (Errey) Smoky sport of Emile Aurbun, with maroon blotch	10	*******	207 .20	407	20 300	.10	
Mary Damaris (Clark-Stewart) See page 7.	1	.30	.20	.10 .10	500	1.00	
Unequalled yellow for either exhibition or commercial.	10	2.40	1.60	.80	60	1.00	
MARY ELIZABETH (Stevens) A tall, ruffled	1	.05	207	307	30	.10	
white blending to cream throat. A-1 exhibition.	10	.45	.30	.20	400	1.00	
Maryln (Ellis) A very tall, vigorous, exhibition pink. Excellent for the shows	1	5.00	3.50	2.00	*******	*******	
MASTER MYRON (Krueger) A tall, rich, self- colored red. Good commercial. Prolific	$\frac{1}{10}$	1.00 9.00	(any s		$\frac{1}{10}$.10 1.00	
MATOAKA (Brauer) New deep, wine-red. Dis-	1	.50	.30	.20	2	.10	
tinctive and A-1 exhibition	10	4.00	2.50	1.20	25	1.00	
Mauve Magic (Arenius) Very tall spike of mauve layender flowers. Many open	1 10	.05 .45	207 .30	407 .15	30 400	1.00	
Max Reger (PF) The best light lavender-	1	.15	.10		20	.10	
blue. Strikingly deeper throat marks. A-1	10	1.35	.90		250	1.00	
MILFORD (Rides) Medium light blue with good growing habits. Popular	$\frac{1}{10}$.05 .45	207	*******	15 200	1.00	
MINUET (Coleman) Clear light lavender. A	1	.10		*******			
real beauty; easily the best lavender	10 1	.80	2 07				
MISS ALAMEDA (Salbach) Large saffrano pink flowers on a tall, strong exhibition spike.	10	.05 .45	207	********	20 300	.10 1.00	
MISS NEW ZEALAND (Julyan) Mammoth sal-	1	.15	.10	********	5	.10	
Moorish King (PF) Very large, deep, ma-	10 1	1.35	.90 215		60	1.00	
roon. Self color, heavy growth, tall spike.	10	.90	.65	********	6 70	$\frac{.10}{1.00}$	
Morocco (PF) Very deep dark, red, almost	10	215	210	207	30	.10	
Mother Machree (Stevens) Beautiful blend-	10	.60 215	.45 210	.30	400 30	1.00	
ing of suffused violet salmon, and cream.	10	.70	.45		400	.10 1.00	
Mrs. E. J. Heaton (Heaton) Exhibition deep, salmon pink. Smooth cream throat	1 10	.05 .45	207 .25	407 .15	30 500	.10 1.00	
Mrs. J. P. Buhl (Stewart) Prices see page 5.						1.00	
Mrs. K. T. Keller (Stewart) Prices see p. 5.							
Mrs W. P. Chrysler (Stewart) See page 7. Unusually ruffled and curled, light rose	1 10	.50 4.00	.30 2.40	.20 1.60	3 30	.10 1.00	
pink. Maroon feathers.							

It's thrifty, in the long run, not to be governed by price alone. —20—

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VARIETY		В	ulbs		Bull	olets
VARILII	Per	Large	Med.	Small	Per	,
Myrna (Pruitt) Exhibition ruffled cream, almost white. A-1 commercial.	$\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 10 \end{array}$.60 5.00	.40 3.50	.25 2.00	$\frac{1}{20}$.10 1.00
Nereus (Errey) A deep, rich cerise with crimson feather. Truly an outstanding exhibition variety, with plants always vigorous and prolific.	10	.10 .90	210 .70	210 .45	12 150	.10 1.00
NETHERLAND PRINCE (Stevens) Very large flowers of bright salmon pink, tall spike.	$\frac{1}{10}$.05 .45	207 .30	307 .20	30 400	.10 1.00
New Era (Ellis) Beautifully ruffled La France	1	.20	.15	.20	10	.10
pink, cream throat. Very attractive	10	1.60	1.20		150	1.00
Orange Butterfly (Salbach) (S.D.) Glowing bronzy-orange. 10 to 12 flowers open	1 10	.05 .45	207 .30	407 .15	30 400	.10 1.00
Paradise (Pruitt) Early large apricot, holding six open on a tall, strong spike	1 10	.10 .90	215 .65	210 .45	20 250	.10 1.00
PAUL DESCHANEL (Lemoine) Large showy bright rose with deep maroon blotch	1 10	.10	215 .60	210 .40	20 400	.10 1.00
Peggy Lou (Wilson) Very large flowered light	1	.15	.10	.05	40	.10
rose. A winner at the shows	10	1.35	.90	.45	500	1.00
Pelegrina (PF) Best and darkest violet-blue.	$\frac{1}{10}$.05 .45	207 .30		20 300	1.00
Lower petals a trifle darker	10	.50	.30	.20	3	.10
very finest exhibition orange today	10	4.00	2.40	1.60	30	1.00
PHYLLIS McQUISTON (Stewart) See page 10. A gorgeous pure pink, and a winner of many blue ribbons. Outstanding	1 10	.05 .40	207 .25	407 .15	40 500	.10 1.00
PICARDY (Palmer) Large shrimp-pink flowers of great size. Tall and a real beauty	1 10	.05 .40	207 .25	407 .15	50 700	.10 1.00
Prairie Gold (Cor.) Deep rich yellow, tall,	1	.10	215	210	15	.10
strong, vigorous and very prolific	10	.80	.60	.40	200	1.00
Precious (Stewart) (S.D.) See page 9. Dainty flower of smooth, cameo pink. Lacinated.	1 10	*******	.07 .60	207 .30	15 300	1.00
PRIM PICOTTE (Bi.l) Red florets with yellow	1	.05	207		20	.10
border. Novelty.	10	.45	.30	*******	300	1.00
PSITTACINUS (African Species) Combined red, orange and yellow. Hooded. Small	$\frac{1}{10}$.10 .90	215 .70	********	5 60	.10 1.00
RAMESSES (Stevens) Very tall spike, im-	1		215	********	10	.10
mense flowers of deep maroon. Nicely ruffled.	10	********	.70		125	1.00
RANZA (Ellis) Deep pink, Picardy seedling approaching orange. Fine exhibition	$\frac{1}{10}$.20 1.80	.15 1.35	.10 .90	10 125	.10 1.00
Red Lory (Errey) Brilliant crimson purple. Deeper blotch. Exhibition spike	$\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 10 \end{array}$.05 .45	207 .30	307 .15	30 400	.10 1.00
RED PHIPPS (Briggs) Tall exhibition spike of soft scarlet. Very fine	1 10	.05 .45	207	307 .15	30 400	.10 1.00
REFLECTION (Kinyon) Exhibition lavender, always clear, tall and erect. A-1	1 10	.25 2.00	.15 1.20	.10	8 100	.10
REWI FALLU (Fallu) New, exhibition, deep		215	210	410	15	.10
red. One of the very finest	10	.60	.30	.20	200	1.00

You'll get more real pleasure from Stewart Gladiolus than from ordinary kinds.

V A DIETIV		В	ulbs		Bull	olets
VARIETY	Per	Large	Med.	Small	Per	,
RIMA (Mitsch) Beautiful lilac-pink with soft	1	.10	215	210	10	.10
cream throat. Long strong spike. A-1	10 1	.90	.60	.40	120	1.00
ROBERT BURNS (Christ) New deep blue, self- color. Excellent growing habits. A-1	1	.40	********	******	*******	*********
ROBERT THE FIRST (Wilkus) A heavily ruf-	1	.10	215		10	.10
fled soft rose-purple. An unusual shade.	10	.90	.70	********	150	1.00
ROSA VAN LIMA Clear, smooth light rose. Finest exhibition and commercial	$\frac{1}{10}$.25 2.00	.15 1.20	********	1 12	.10 1.00
ROSEMARIE PFITZER (PF) Exhibition pink,	10	.10	215		12	.10
blending to a majority of creamy white.	10	.80	.65	*******	150	1.00
ROYAL PINK (Ellis) Early, bright, large, deep	1	.10	215		20	.10
pink. Excellent commercial.	10	.90	.70	*******	250	1.00
SALBACH'S ORCHID (Salbach) A true orchid	1	.10	215		20	.10
shade with several out at one time. Ruffled	10	.80	.60	4.10	300	1.00
SANDRA (Palmer) Light shrimp pink, with diffused amber blotch. Vigorous and pro-	$\frac{1}{10}$.10 .80	210 .40	410 .20	15 200	.10 1.00
lific.	10					
Senorita (Salbach) An exhibition orange, exceptionally brilliant and showy. A-1	10	215 .70	210 .45	207 .30	30 400	.10 1.00
SHERLOCK HOLMES (Prestgard) An excellent	1	1.00	.75	.50	1	.10
exhibition scarlet. Truly a winner	10	9.00	6.75	4.50	12	1.00
SHIRLEY TEMPLE (Pruitt) Beautiful large	1	.05	207	407	40	.10
flowered cream. Heavily ruffled. A-1	10	.45	.30	.15	500	1.00
SIR GALAHAD (Salbach) Immense, frilled creamy yellow, with crimson feather. Patented.	1 10	1.00 5.00	.50 2.50	********		*******
SMILING MAESTRO (Christ) Salmon rose with		215	210		30	.10
overlay. Giant flowers on a tall spike	10	.60	.40		400	1.00
Solveig (Dec.) Large, exhibition white with soft rose throat. Heavily ruffled	1 10	.10 .90	215 .70	*******	15 200	.10 1.00
Sonatine (PF) Tall, strong Atlas-rose with	1	.05	207	307	25	.10
cherry blotch. A-1 commercial.	10	.45	.30	.20	300	1.00
STAR OF BETHLEHEM (PF) A very large,	1	.10	215	********	20	.10
snowy white. Cream lip. Fine exhibition.	10	.80	.65	2 06	250	1.00
STREAK O'BUTTER (Crow) One of the very tallest yellows. Many open. A-1	10	212 .50	206 .25	306 .15	40 500	.10 1.00
Success (Stewart) See page 9. A perfectly	1	.75	.50	.30	3	.10
pure white on an exhibition spike. A-1.	10	6.00	4.00	2.40	30	1.00
SUN GOD (Stewart) Prices see page 3						
Surfside (Windsor) Beautiful, ruffled white, with faint red feather in throat	$\frac{1}{10}$.50 4.00	.30 2.40	.15 1.20	2 25	.10 1.00
Sweet Alibi (Canine) Ruffled, exhibition, deep	1	.40	.25	.15	4	.10
geranium pink. Fine commercial	10	3.20	2.00	1.20	50	1.00
Sweetheart (Colonial) (S.D.) Very nice, delicate clear pink with white throat	$\frac{1}{10}$.05 .45	207		20 250	.10 1.00
acrossed crear prink with write till Odt	10	.40	.50	********	430	1.00

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VARIETY		В	ulbs		Bul	blets
VARIETT	Per	Large	Med.	Small	Per	
Takina (Burns) Very large flower of rosa- line purple. Splendid exhibition	1 10	.10	215 .60		10 120	.10 1.00
Tantalus (Brauer) Large flowered, heavily ruffled, rich orange blending to yellow throat.	$\begin{matrix} 1 \\ 10 \end{matrix}$	1.00 9.00	.50 4.00	.30 2.50	2 25	.10 1.00
THREE L. O. (ERREY) Giant rose, overlaid with deeepr rose. Carmine blotch. Exhibition.	$\frac{1}{10}$.10 .80	215	210 .40	20 250	.10 1.00
Token (Pappas) An extra early flame salmon, clear yellow throat.	$\frac{1}{10}$.05 .45	207 .25	407 .15	40 500	.10 1.00
TOTEM (Stewart) See page 10. Very tall, larg flowered bright salmon scarlet	e 1	.10 .80	.07 .60	.05 .40	25 300	.10 1.00
Tunias Blue (Both) A new, medium blue which is liked by many. A-1 exhibition	1 10	.50 4.50	.40 3.60	.30 2.70	1 12	.10 1.00
TUNIAS BLUE WONDER (Both) New, large flowered blue. Exhibition spike	1	1.00	.75	.50	*******	********
VAGABOND PRINCE (Palmer) A garnet brown,	1 10	.05	207	407	40	.10
with scarlet lip. Exhibition novelty	10	.45	.30	.15	500	1.00
VILLAGE QUEEN (Stewart) See page 10. Very large flowered, soft pink blending to	1 10	.05 .40	207 .25	407 .15	40 500	.10 1.00
cream throat. Very beautiful, and valuable as an early cut flower			0	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		2100
VISTA BONITA (Ellis) Immense geranium pink with tall, exhibition spike	1 10	.25 2.25	.15 1.20	.10 .80	1 12	.10 1.00
WASAGA (Palmer) One of the best prim.	1	.05	207	407	40	.10
grands. A glowing, clear, ruffled buff	10	.45 1.00	.30	.15 .40	600	1.00
Past winner. Very prolific and vigorous.	10	8.00	4.80	3.20	12	1.00
WHITE BUTTERFLY (K) $(S.D.)$ The best white	1		.05	207	3 0	.10
in the primulinus. Wins consistently	10	2.00	.40	.25	400	1.00
White Eagle (Ellis) A tall, slender lace-like creamy white, beautifully ruffled	1	2.00	1.25	.75	1	.10
WHITE SPIRE (Kinyon) Tall, pure white, six	1	.50	.30	.20	2	.10
open. A-1 exhibition or commercial	10 1	4.00	2.50	1.60	25	1.00
mon pink with twelve or more open	10	.80			************	
WILL SCARLET (Brown) (S.D.) The very best dainty scarlet in this type	$\frac{1}{10}$.10 .90	.07 .65		20 250	.10 1.00
Zauberflote (PF) Large, peach rose with	1	.10	215		6	.10
vivid red blotch, on tall, strong spike	10	.80	.50		70	1.00
ZUNI (Mitsch) A refined smoky, combining shades of salmon, slate and orange. A-1.	$\frac{1}{10}$.15 1.20	215	210 .30	15 200	.10 1.00

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Alice Herriott Blue Bizarre Elite Elsie Adele	Euclid Jessica Dragonette Major Bowes Phyllis McQuiston	Precious Totem Village Queen
1	1 each of any 10 of the above for \$.50 3 each of any 10 of the above for 1.30 5 each of any 10 of the above for 2.00 0 each of any 10 of the above for 3.25 5 each of any 5 of the above for 1.10 0 each of any 5 of the above for 2.00	
Every iten	in the above collections will be correctly	labeled.

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A COLLECTION OF THE NEWER VARIETIES FOR THE CONNOISSEUR

Acona Alfred M. Landon Andree Clark La Grace	Lindsay Margaret Stewart Mary Damaris Mrs. Julia P. Buhl	Mrs. Walter P. Chrysler Persian Orange Success
	1 each of any 5 of the above	
	3 each of any 5 of the above	for 5.25
	5 each of any 5 of the above	for 7.50
	10 each of any 5 of the above	for 12.50
	1 each of any 10 of the above	for 4.00
	3 each of any 10 of the above	for 8.75
	5 each of any 10 of the above	for 12.50
	10 each of any 10 of the above	for 20.00
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Every item in the above collections will be correctly labeled.

Collection - C

1 each of all 22 varieties in Collection A and Collection	В \$	4.35
3 each of all 22 varieties in Collection A and Collection	В	9.50
5 each of all 22 varieties in Collection A and Collection	B 1	13.75
10 each of all 22 varieties in Collection A and Collection	B 2	21.75
Every item in the above collections will be correctly 1	abeled	d.

Many thanks for your wholehearted acceptance of these collections last season.

SPECIAL VALUES IN OUR UNEQUALLED COLLECTIONS BEST IN QUALITY — LOW IN PRICE

The LABELLED COLLECTIONS offered below contain a multitude of varieties, ranging in color from pure white and the lighter shades, through to the very deepest of the reds and purples. Each and every variety will be BAGGED AND LABELLED SEPARATELY, and all bulbs will be large size—1½ inches or more in diameter. With each order will be included FREE OF CHARGE, one or more of the NEWER STEWART ORIGINATIONS (depending upon the value of your order.'

Collection 1-A

Albatross
Antione
Bagdad
Betsy Bob Up
Break O'Day
Canberra
Col. Charles Lindberg
Debonair

Dr. Durr
Early Melody
Elsie Adele
F. J. McCoy
Jessica Dragonette
John Bach
Joerg's White

Maid of Orleans

Margaret Fulton
Mary Elizabeth
Mrs. E. J. Heaton
Phyllis McQuiston
Senorita
Sonatine
Token
V'11 O

1	each	of	a11	24	of	the	above	\$1.00
3	each	of	all	24	of	the	above	2.50
5	each	of	all	24	of	the	above	4.00
10	each	of	a 11	24	of	the	above	7.50

Collection 2-B

Coral Glow	Henet	Magna Blanca
Do-X	Irak	Nereus
Edith Robson	Kulshan	Paul Deschanel
Eighth Wonder	Lavender Queen	Rima
Golden Chimes	Leschi	Zauberflote
	1 each of all 15 of the above\$1.25	
	2 1 6 11 1 7 6 1 1	

1	each	of	all	15	of	the	above	\$1.25
3	each	of	a11	15	of	the	above	3.00
5	each	of	all	15	of	the	above	4.50
10	each	of	all	15	of	the	above	8.00

Collection 3-C

1	each	of	all	39	varieties	in	Collections	1-A	and	2-B\$2.15
3	each	of	all	39	varieties	in	Collections	1-A	and	2-B 5.00
5	each	of	a11	39	varieties	in	Collections	1-A	and	2-B 7.50
10	each	of	all	39	varieties	in	Collections	1-A	and	2-B14.00

SPECIAL VALUES IN OUR UNEQUALLED ASSORTMENTS

BEST IN QUALITY — LOW IN PRICE

Those who do not care to grow the varieties by name, but who do insist on the very best of flowers, we offer you our UNEQUALLED ASSORTMENTS. These varieties are NOT LABELED as to their names. The LARGE bulbs are 1½" or more in diameter.

OUR ASSORTMENTS ARE BIGGER AND BETTER than ever this year—new colors, new types and best of all we will include FREE OF CHARGE WITH EVERY ASSORTMENT one or more (depending upon the value of your order) of our brand new higher priced varieties. These free bulbs will be bagged and labeled so that you may see the latest in gladiolus. Truly wonderful values.

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- **No. 1—LARGE BULBS**—This is our most popular assortment. It will please you too. A grand array of colors, from purest white up through to include the darkest colors. Over 30 different varieties. 100 bulbs, \$3.00; 50 bulbs, \$1.50; 30 bulbs, \$1.
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- 5 bulbs of each; White, Yellow, Lavender, Light Pink, Deep Pink and Red. A total of 30 bulbs \$1.0
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Medum sized bulbs of any of the above assortments at 50% off of the price listed for large size.

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CALIFORNIA HELEN OF TROY KING OF HEARTS GRAND OPERA JUNE BRIDE SIR GALAHAD One LARGE SIZE bulb of each \$3.50 One MEDIUM SIZE bulb of each \$1.75

WHOLESALE PRICE LIST

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PRICED PER 100—The 1,000 rate is 8 times the 100 rate. Not less than 25 same variety and size at the 100 rate. 250 at the 1,000 rate. Bulblets—1 pt. at quart rate. **Quotations** will be made on larger quantities and other varieties not included here.

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37.4 D T12/1/37	NT - 1	Nt. 2	Nt. 2	No. 4	No. 5	No. 6	Bulb 1,000	Qt.
VARIETY	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4			,	
ACONA		30.00	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	25.00	75.00
ALBATROSS		2.60	2.40	2.20			.90	2.70
ALFRED M. LANDON		5.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	1.50	F 00	15 00
ALICE HERRIOTT	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	5.00	15.00
AMERICAN COMMANDE	R38.00	30.00	23.00	15.00	11.00	7.00	14.00	50.00
ANDREE CLARK		35.00	30.00					1.50
ANTIONE		1.80	1.60		**********		.50	1.50
AVE MARIA		2.00	1.50	1.00			.70	2.00
BAGDAD		1.60	1.40	1.20	.80	.60	.60	1.50
BEACON		3.50	3.00	2.50	1.50	1.00	3.00	10.00
BEAUTIFUL OHIO	Z.40	2.00	1.60	1.20	1.20	1 00	1.00	3.00
BETSY BOB UP	2.50	2.20	1.80	1.40	1.20	1.00	.70	2.00
BETTY NUTHALL		1.50	1.30	1.10	.80	.60	.50	1.50
BILL SOWDEN	26.00	1.60	1.20	1.00	.80	.60	.70	2.00
BINGO	26.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00		15.00	2.00
BIT O'HEAVEN	2.40	2.00	1.60	1.20	1.00	.80	.70	2.00
BLUE BIZARRE	6.00	5.00	4.00	1.00			10.00	2.00
BLUE DANUBE	3.00	2.60	2.20	1.80	*******	********	1.00	3.00
BREAK O'DAY		1.20	.80	1.00		*********	.50	1.50
CANBERRA	3.00	2.60	2.20	1.80			1.00	3.00
CHARLES DICKENS		2.00	1.80	2.20		*********	.60	1.80
CHRISTABEL		2.60	2.40	2.20			.80	2.50
COL. CH. LINDBERGH		2.20	1.80	1.40	2.00	1 00	.60	1.80
COLOSSUS		5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.00	2.50	7.00
COMMANDER KOEHL		2.80	2.60	T TO	4.00	2.00	.80	2.40
CORAL GLOW		9.00	7.50	5.50	4.00	3.00	8.00	24.00
CREVE COUER		2.50	1.80	1.20	.90	.70	1.00	3.00
DEBONAIR	2.50	1.20	.90	.70	.50	.40	.50	1.50
DR. F. E. BENNETT		2.20	1.60	1.00	.80		.60	1.80
DUNA		1.60	1.20	1.00	.80	.60	.50	1.50
EARLY MELODY		1.60	1.20	1.00	.80	.60	.50	1.50
EARLY PEACH		2.80	2.60	2.40	***********		1.00	3.00
EDITH ROBSON		2.00	1.50	1.20			.70	2.00
EIGHTH WONDER		2.80	2.20	2.00	1.60	1.40	1.00	3.00
ELITE ELSIE ADELE	2.00	2.60 2.40	2.20	2.00	1.60	1.40	.70	2.00
	16.00	12.80	1.80	1.20	.90	.70	.70	2.00
		5.00	9.60 4.00	8.00	5.60	4.00		***********
EUCLID FATA MORGANA	2.00	2.60		2.00			1.00	2.00
		2.60	2.20	2.00			1.00	3.00
F. J. McCOY GATE OF HEAVEN		2.60	2.20	2.00			.70 1.00	2.00 3.00
GIANT NYMPH		1.20	.90	.70				
GOLDEN CHIMES	4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50		***********	.50	1.50
GRAND SLAM		3.20	3.00	2.80		***********	3.00 1.50	9.00 4 .50
HENET		18.00	15.00	9.00	5.00	3.00	10.00	4.50
HERCULES		8.00	7.00	6.00			9.00	25.00
IOSCO		14.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00	10.00	25.00
IRAK		2.60	2.20	1.80	1.40	1.00	1.00	3.00
JESSICA DRAGONETTE		2.40	1.80	1.20	.90	.70	.70	2.00
JOERG'S WHITE		2.50	1.00		.90	.70	1.00	3.00
JOHN BACH		3.00	2.80	2.60	2.40	2.20	1.50	4.50
KING ARTHUR	0.30	2.50	2.00	1.50			1.00	3.00
KULSHAN	7.00	6.00	2.00	1.50	***********		10.00	5.00
LA LIESTA	5.00	4.50	4.00	3.50			1.50	4.50
LA GRACE	40.00	35.00	30.00	25.00				125.00
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							Bulb	lets
VARIETY LA PALOMA	No. 1			No. 4	No. 5	No. 6	1,000	Qt.
LA PALOMA	1.60	1.20	1.00		1.00	1 00	.50	1.50
LAVENDER DELIGHT		2.40	2.00	1.50	1.20	1.00	.60	1.80
LAVENDER QUEENLESCHI		3.40 6.00	3.00 5.00	2.60	2.20	1.80	$\frac{1.50}{10.00}$	4.50
LIBELLE		2.80	2.60	2.40		************	1.00	3.00
LINDSAY		20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	15.00	45.00
LUCIFER		2.60	2.20	1.80	2.00	0.00	1.00	3.00
MAGNA BLANCA		3.20	3.00	1.60		*********	1.00	3.00
MAID OF ORLEANS	1.80	1.60	1.40	1.20	1.00	.80	.50	1.50
MAJOR BOWES	4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50			4.00	12.00
MAMMOTH WHITE	3.00	2.80	2.60				.70	2.00
MARGARET BEATON	28.00	24.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	10.00	20.00	4.50
MARGARET FULTON	1.60	1.20	.90	.70	.50	.40	.50	1.50
MARGARET STEWART MARY DAMARIS	25.00	5.00 20.00				*********	5.00 15.00	15.00 45.00
MARY ELIZABETH	25.00	2.00	1.50	1.00			.70	2.00
MAUVE MAGIC		1.80	1.40	1.00	.80	.60	.50	1.50
MAX REGER		3.00	2.80	2.60	2.40	2.20	1.50	4.50
MINUET		2.20	2.00				1.00	3.00
MISS ALAMEDA		2.60	2.20	1.80			1.00	3.00
MOROCCO		2.40	2.00	1.60	1.20		.70	2.00
MOTHER MACHREE		2.50	2.00				.70	2.00
MRS. E. I HEATON	2.80	2.40	2.00	1.80	1.40	1.00	.70	2.00
Mr. J. P. BUHL	150.00		20.00		85.00		150.00	(0.00
MRS. W. P. CHRYSLER MYRNA		25.00 40.00	30.00	$\frac{15.00}{20.00}$	10.00 15.00	5.00	20.00	60.00
NEREUS		5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.00	2.00	6.00
NETHERLAND PRINCE		2.60	2.20	1.80	2.00	1.00	1.00	3.00
ORANGE BUTTERFLY	0.00	2.00	1.50	1.00			.60	1.80
PARADISE		3.20	2.80	2.50	***********		.80	2.50
PAUL DESCHANEL	3.00	2.60	2.20	1.80	**********	************	1.00	3.00
PEGGY LOU	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	2.00	1.50	2.00	6.00
PELEGRINA		2.00	1.50	1.00			.70	2.00
PERSIAN ORANGE	35.00	30.00	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	25.00	75.00
PHYLLIS McQUISTON		2.00	1.50	1.20	.80	.60	.70	2.00
PICARDY PRAIRIE GOLD		1.20 2.50	$\frac{1.00}{2.00}$.80 1.50	.60	.40	1.00	1.50 3.00
RED LORY	3.00	2.60	2.20	1.80	1.40	1.00	1.00	3.00
RED PHIPPS	3.00	2.60	2.30	1.80	1.40	1.00	1.00	3.00
REFLECTION	16.00	14.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00	10.00	
REWI FALLU	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.00	1.50	5.00
RIMA	12.00	10.00	8.00		**********		7.00	
ROSA VAN LIMA	6.00	5.00	4.00		***************************************			***************************************
SALBACH'S ORCHID		2.50	2.00	1.50			1.00	3.00
SENORITA	1.80	1.60	1.40	1.20	.80	.60	.50	1.50
SHIRLEY TEMPLE		2.50	2.00 1.80	1.50 1.60	1.00	.80	1.25	3.50
SONATINE STAR OF BETHLEHEM		2.20	3.00			**********	.70	2.00 9.00
STREAK OF BUTTER		3.50 2.00	1.60	1.20	1.00	.80	3.00	2.00
SUCCESS	35.00	30.00	25.00	1.20	1.00	.00	25.00	75.00
SURFSIDE	35.00	28.00	20.00	14.00	10.00	8.00	22.00	75.00
SWEET ALIBI		20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00		15.00	
THREE L. O.		3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	1.00	3.00
TOKEN	2 20	2.00	1.60	1.20			.60	1.80
TOTEM	4.00	3.50		4 50	4.20		2.00	6.00
VAGABOND PRINCE		2.50	2.00	1.50	1.20	.80	1.00	3.00
VILLAGE QUEEN	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.90	.70	.70	2.00
WASAGA		1.20	.90	.70	.50 30.00	.40	.50	1.50
WENONAH WHITE BUTTERFLY	05.00	60.00	50.00	40.00	.90	25.00 .70	65.00	2.00
WHITE SPIRE	30.00	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	10.00	15.00	2.00
W. H. PHIPPS	2.00	1.50	1.20	10.00	12.00	10.00	.50	1.50
W. H. PHIPPS ZAUBERFLOTE	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00			2.00	6.00
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Please Read Carefully Before Ordering

ORDER EARLY—It avoids disapointment by eliminating the chance of the variety selected being sold out. However, we do not discriminate, our prices are the same in the spring as in the fall. Our stock is always guaranteed, early or late, our large storage facilities permit this.

GUARANTEE—We ship only first quality stock which grows easily. It is clean, insect pest and disease free, healthy and true to name. Every bulb is fully guaranteed as such. Should any prove otherwise, we will gladly replace or refund your original purchase price

SUBSTITUTION—We do not substitute unless directed to do so. However, a second choice is advisable if late in the season.

SIZE—Our bulb sizes are standard and liberal. No. $1-1\frac{1}{2}$ inch and over; No. $2-1\frac{1}{4}-1\frac{1}{2}$ inches; No. $3-1-1\frac{1}{4}$ inches; No. $4-3\frac{3}{4}-1$ inch; No. $5-\frac{1}{2}-\frac{3}{4}$ inch; No. $6-\frac{1}{4}-\frac{1}{2}$ inch.

Large—1½ inches or more in diameter (Nos. 1 and 2). **Medium**—¾ to 1½ inches in diameter (Nos. 3 and 4). **Small**—½ to ¾ inch in diameter (Nos. 5 and 6).

QUANTITY—3 bulbs will be sold at the 10 rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate.

SHIPMENTS—Weather conditions govern this largely. They usually start about March 15th. Unless otherwise directed.

DELIVERY—All retail orders amounting to \$1.00 or more will be delivered free to all parts reached by Parcel Post. Orders amounting to less than \$1.00 will add 15c for postage.

TERMS—Remittances should accompany your order, and should be made by check bank draft, American Express or Postal money order.

REFERENCE—For our standing, you may refer to:
The McDowell National Bank of Sharon, Pa.

PRICES—having a number prefix, as **2-.05**, means **2 for 5 cents**. Prices as given in this catalog supersede all previous quotations.

SERVICE—As we are one of the largest producers of gladiolus, we offer the best, with courtesy, being fully appreciative of your patronage.

BEST FLOWERS—An exhibitor insists on a young bulb 1½" or more in diameter. Bulbs over two years old usually do not produce the maximum of flower, and frequently are a source of trouble from disease.

BULB PERFORMANCE—For the maximum performance or exhibition spikes—Large (over 1½") are much to be preferred. Medium (¾" to 1½") bulbs are of blooming size but the flower is not as large and requiring more time to bloom. Small (½" to ¾") bulbs will at times bloom late in the season and are noticeably smaller in size; Bulblets cannot be depended upon, either to bloom or for germination, many fail to grow under the very best of conditions.

"Your Assurance of Beautiful Flowers"

Our gladiolus bulbs are the best it is possible to produce. They are well grown, without pampering or irrigation, are scientifically harvested, cleaned and stored. They receive final inspection and preparation before delivery to you. They reflect this culture and care by giving you their beautiful bloom, the kind of bloom all flower lovers are looking for. Be sure to give them a trial—this season.

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CARE AND CULTURE

THE GLADIOLUS can be successfully grown in practically any soil. They are easily grown and respond wonderfully to a little attention, such as timely watering and cultivation They will adapt themselves to most any garden and will be found doing much better than most flowers with an equal amount of effort by the grower, be he amateur or professional.

THE PACKAGE when received should be opened at once to admit air directly

on bulbs-store in cool, dry and frost-proof place until planting time.

SOIL and LOCATION—Any good garden soil is very satisfactory; the soil should not be worked when wet, and should be kept pliable at all times during the growing season. They will not do their best in too much shade. They enjoy being planted in rows or in beds; they are valuable in the landscape, putting clumps of all one color or mixed at suitable points for the desired effect. The ground should be well drained for best results.

DISINFECTING—Precautionary measures guarding against insect pests and bulb troubles are very effective and most economical. The garden should be cleaned and the old tops of gladiolus as well as the tops of other plants and other refuse should be raked up and burned. The storage room should be clean and disinfected as well as the bulb containers before using them to store bulbs over winter. Disinfecting all bulbs before planting is an easy task and is advisable as it will practically eliminate any disease or insect pest. We offer but one method: this accomplishes all in one operation; use at the rate of one ounce of Bichloride of Mercury (poison) to 7 gallons water (B. of M. is more soluble in warm water). soak from 8 to 10 hours, the night before planting, (not necessary to remove husks); a simple procedure is to place bulbs in salt or sugar bags, tie strong string around top of bag, other end of string carrying the variety name on it, drop in solution, a stick will punch them under—after soaking, hang up by string to dry, or they may be planted wet. Use non-metallic container for the B. of M.

PLANTING—Have soil loose; make trench or hole deep enough so that bulbs can be covered with three inches of dirt, (sandy soil, five inches); plant bulbs three inches apart in the row. If fertilizer is used at planting time, keep at least two

inches from bulb, by covering bulb with dirt before adding the fertilizer. **SPRAYING and THRIP**—Thrip is a very small insect 1/16 inch, and the cause of most all gladiolus failures. It causes the plant to turn brown, and does not permit the development of a good flower. While this insect is no longer serious, preventative measures must be used. Soak all bulbs before planting, with bichloride of mercury as directed above. Thrip survive the winter in your storage, so take the bulbs to the garden in the container you soaked them in. Everything taken from the storage should be clean. Inspect the plants closely when small, start when they are 2" high—if thrip is detected spray daily until they are destroyed, then spray once a week, or as your case requires. They must all be destroyed before flower spike starts. Spray in the early evening, this gives a minimum of evaporation and permits the spray to spread more thoroughly. The best and most economical spray is Rototox—write them—The Rototox Co., 81 East Yale St., East Williston, N. Y. They will send you pamphlet on how to use Rototox, and prices.

WATER and CULTIVATION—Water thoroughly so that it will soak down to the bulb, at least once a week, but count a good rain as one; cultivate thoroughly next day if not sticky.

THE FLOWER-If you wish to cut the flower do it when the first flower opens wide. To get a nice spike with it, slide the knife down close to spike on one side stopping six to eight inches from ground, then slide it down the opposite side giving knife a twist at the bottom to remove spike with flowers; this operation cuts leaves from spike but they remain on the plant, which is essential to properly

mature the bulb.

HARVESTING—Bulbs should be ready to dig three to six weeks after blooming, or dig when foliage starts to turn brown. Loosen bulb with fork or other tool and bulb will lift out by the top-shake dirt off-cut tops off close to bulb, let bulb fall in clean container (three inches deep), pile up tops for burning. Let bulbs cure three to six weeks in a dry, airy, frost-proof place, stir occasionally for thorough drying—they must be dry. When ready, the old root should snap off easily, leaving bulb clean; now store away for winter in containers (boxes or bags) not over four inches deep, in a cool, dry, frost-proof place.

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